

Annual Report

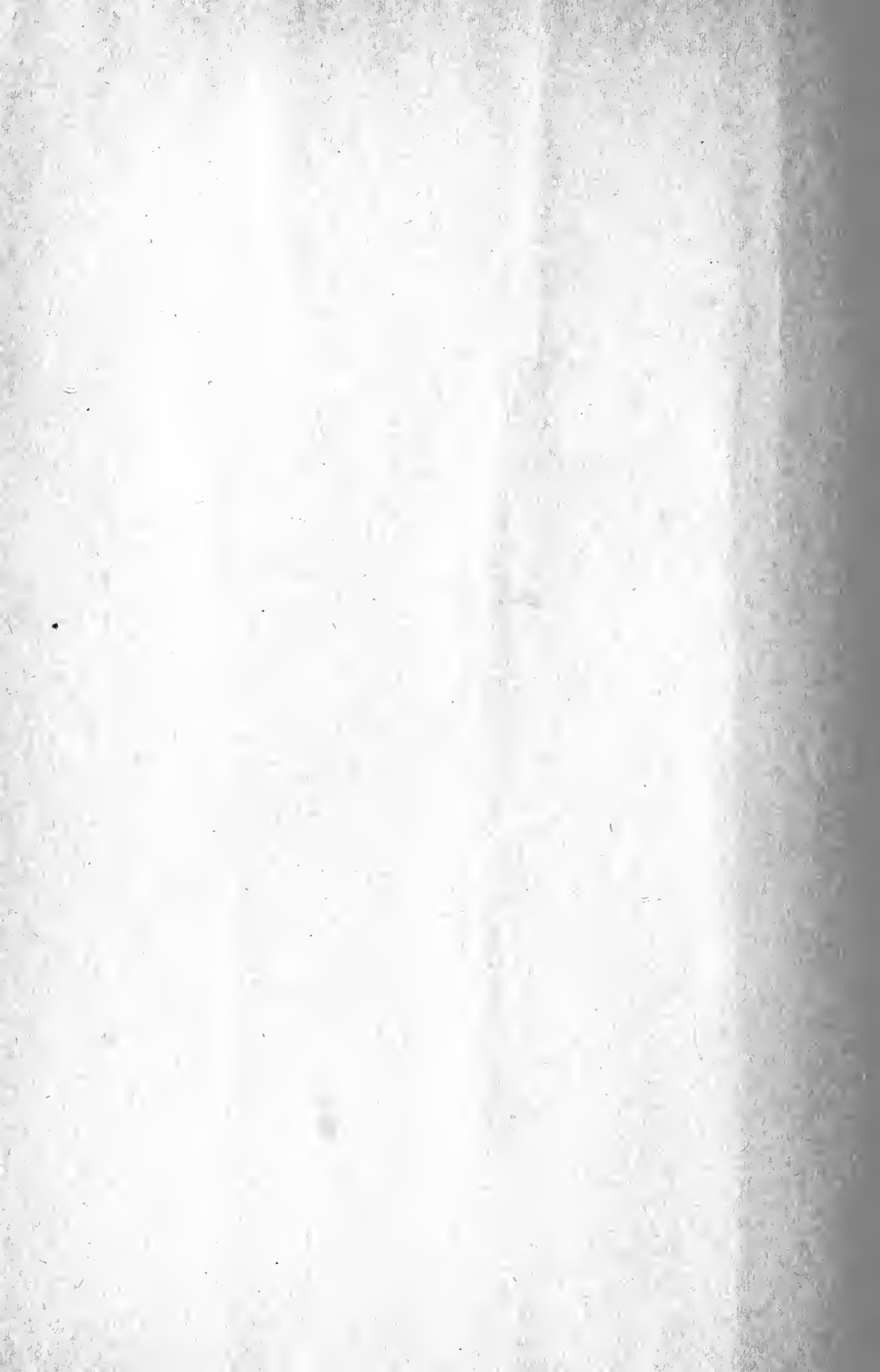
TOWN OF

DORCHESTER

New Hampshire

1945





Annual Report

OF THE

SELECTMEN AND TREASURER

OF THE

Town of Dorchester

together with the reports of the

ROAD AGENT AND OTHER OFFICERS

OF THE TOWN

for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1945

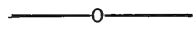
also the

Vital Statistics for the year ending December 31, 1945

The Colby Press, Rumney Depot, N. H.

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APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1946



Recommended by Selectmen

Town Charges	\$	450.00
and all State Credits and Auto Permit Fees		
Town Maintenance: Summer	\$1,000.00	
Winter.	\$1,000.00	2,000.00
Town Road Aid		249.00
Old Age Assistance and Town Poor		300.00
Forest Fire Department		50.00
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region		17.00

George A. Thayer
Paul D. Smith
George W. Rowen

TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

Alfred E. Ashley

TOWN CLERK

Charles A. Krahenbuhl

SELECTMEN

George A. Thayer

Paul D. Smith

George W. Rowen

ROAD AGENT

Ernest Carter

TREASURER

Jennie J. Burnham

TAX COLLECTOR

Harry Quance

RELIEF AGENT

George N. Burnham

HEALTH OFFICER

Charles A. Krahenbuhl

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Harry Quance

AUDITORS

Nellie M. Ashley

Winna B. Eastman

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

James Carter

Ernest J. Hanley

Malcolm D. Merrill

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Paul D. Smith

Harry Quance

Isaac H. Burnham

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L.S.) To the Inhabitants of the Town of Dorchester in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Dorchester on Tuesday, the 12th day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for repairing highways and bridges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for Town Road Aid.

5. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Old Age Assistance and Town Poor.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$ 50.00 for the Forest Fire Department.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the purpose of publicising and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the town, together with other towns in the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

8. To see if the Town will vote to sell land owned by the Town.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to provide for White Pine Blister Rust Control in cooperation with the Forestry and Recreation Department.

10. To see if the Town will vote to reopen that part of the Lyme Road between "Jacob Rowen Corner" and the "Public Camping Ground" that was discontinued by vote of the Town on March 14, 1944, and raise and appropriate money to repair the same.

11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

12. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, or Committees heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

13. To act upon any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 2nd day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-six.

GEORGE A. THAYER,

PAUL D. SMITH,

GEORGE W. ROWEN,

Selectmen of Dorchester

A true copy of Warrant:- Attest:

GEORGE A. THAYER,

PAUL D. SMITH,

GEORGE W. ROWEN.

Selectmen of Dorchester

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Lands and Buildings	\$ 139,185.00
Growing Wood and Timber	10,950.00
Electric Plants, Poles and Fixtures	3,507.00
Horses, 25	3,250.00
Cows, 55	6,985.00
Neat Stock, 3	260.00
Sheep, 19	187.00
Fowls, 150	150.00
Portable Mills	350.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	1,330.00
Gasoline Pumps and tanks, 2	50.00

Total Inventory	\$ 166,204.00
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Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$ 5,318.52
Regular Poll Taxes at \$2.00	130.00
Special Poll Taxes at \$3.00	213.00

Total Taxes	\$ 5,661.52
Tax Rate for all purposes	3.20
Amount of Soldier Exemption, 5	\$ 2,780.00

APPROPRIATIONS

Town Charges	\$ 300.00
and all State Credits and Auto Permit Fees	
Forest Fire Department	50.00
Town Road Aid	243.00
Town Maintenance-Summer \$ 1,000., Winter 1,000.	2,000.00
Overhaul Tractor	250.00
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region	16.23
Old Age Assistance and Town Poor	400.00
County Tax	331.05
School Tax	1,770.00
Overlay	88.24

Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation	\$ 5,448.52
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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

	Credits Appropriations	Expenditures	Surplus	Overdraft
Town Charges	\$ 576.67	300.00	652.79	223.88
Forest Fire Department		50.00	12.05	37.95
Town Maintenance		2,000.00	2,000.00	
Town Road Aid		243.00	243.00	
Overhaul Tractor		250.00	170.50	79.50
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region		16.23	16.23	
Old Age Assistance and Town Poor		400.00	123.87	276.13
County Tax		331.05	331.05	
School Tax		1,770.00	1,770.00	
Overlay		\$8.24	31.80	56.44
Surplus, 1944	\$ 101.21			

Town of Dorchester**Assets**

Cash:	
In hands of Treasurer	\$ 3,469.10
Due from State:	
Bounties, Hedgehog and Bear	182.00
Unredeemed Taxes:	
Levy of 1944	1.05
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1945	35.40
Total Assets	\$ 3,687.55
Grand Total	\$ 3,687.55

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LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings	\$ 3,525.00
Furniture and Equipment	100.00
Forest Fire Department	100.00
Highway Department, equipment	2,000.00
Schools, land and buildings	2,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	800.00
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	\$ 9,025.00

Town of Dorchester

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due to Post War Fund	\$	1,300.00
Due to Road Agent, Balance of Appropriation		600.00
Due to School District, Dog Licenses		84.89
Balance of Appropriation		870.00
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Total Liabilities	\$	2,854.89
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)		832.66
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Grand Total	\$	3,687.55

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LANDS AND BUILDINGS ACQUIRED THRU DEEDS

A. L. Hofmann, Est.	Mining right on 409 acres	\$ 500.00
Ralph H. Dodge	Lots 56, 57 and Murphy	
	land (247 acres)	700.00
Ralph H. Dodge	Effie Marshall land, 77 acres	200.00
Ralph H. Dodge	Mill site, half acre	10.00
Ralph H. Dodge	T. Murphy farm, 26 acres	100.00
Andrew & Taylor	Ben Burley farm, 100 acres	200.00
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		\$ 1,710.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Receipts from Dog Licenses

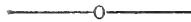
22 Males at \$2.00	\$	44.00
6 Females at \$5.00		30.00
1 Kennel at \$20.00		20.00
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Total	\$	94.00
Clerk's fees, 29 at 20 cents		5.80
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Total paid to Treasurer	\$	88.20

Receipts from Auto Permits

For 1945, 44 permits	\$	82.58
Total paid to Treasurer		82.58

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. KRAHENBUHL, Town Clerk



TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts

Cash on hand, January 1, 1945	\$	2,682.24
From Selectmen		2,764.49
From Town Clerk		170.78
From Tax Collector		6,714.12
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Total	\$	12,331.63

Payments

By order of Selectmen	\$	8,862.53
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Cash on hand, December 31, 1945	\$	3,469.10

Respectfully submitted,

JENNIE J. BURNHAM, Treasurer

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Assessment, 1945	\$	5,661.52
Abatements and uncollected		67.20
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		5,594.32
1944 Taxes reported uncollected and sold		334.96
1944 Poll Tax reported uncollected and paid		5.00
Addition, 1 poll tax for 1944		5.00
Interest collected		6.37
Tax Sales Redeemed, Levy of 1942		131.87
Tax Sales Redeemed, Levy of 1943		193.96
Tax Sales Redeemed, Levy of 1944		351.82
Interest on tax sales redeemed		90.82
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Total Collected and paid to Treasurer	\$	6,714.12

Abatements

Albert W. Clogston, Veteran	\$.80
Charles Carter, Veteran		16.00
Bertha Quimby, Poll Tax, Deceased		5.00
Lyman E. Patterson, Poll Tax, paid in Conn.		5.00
Gladys L. Patterson, Poll Tax, paid in Conn.		5.00
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	\$	31.80

Uncollected

Lorenzo G. Ash Heirs	\$	9.60
Gerald F. Chaisson		19.20
Allen H. Schoolcraft		1.60
Walter E. Buzzell, Poll tax		5.00
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	\$	35.40

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY QUANCE Collector

Town of Dorchester**Receipts****From Local Taxes:**

Property taxes, 1945	\$ 5,271.32
Poll taxes, Regular at \$2.	122.00
Poll taxes, Special at \$3.	201.00
Property taxes, 1944	334.96
Poll taxes, 1944, Regular at \$2.	4.00
Poll taxes, 1944, Special at \$3.	6.00
Interest received on taxes	97.19
Tax sales redeemed	677.65

From State:

For Class 5 Highways	\$ 1,073.10
Interest and Dividend tax	452.63
Railroad tax	9.50
Savings Bank tax	31.96
Fighting Forest Fires	6.30
Bounties	163.00

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses	\$ 88.20
Reimbursement for electric light	18.00
Sale of chain falls	10.00
Registration of motor vehicles, 44 permits	82.58

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

Temporary loan in anticipation of taxes	\$1,000.00
Total Receipts	\$ 9,649.39
Cash on hand January 1, 1945	2,682.24
Grand Total	\$ 12,331.63

Town of Dorchester**Payments**

General Government:		
Town officers' salaries	\$	435.31
Town officers' expenses		188.15
Expenses of town hall		34.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Forest Fire Department	\$	18.35
Bounties on hedgehogs and bear		182.00
Health:		
Vital Statistics	\$	1.00
Highways and Bridges:		
Town Road Aid	\$	243.00
Town Maintenance		3,201.09
General Expenses of Highway Department		75.19
Expenses of overhauling tractor		170.50
Expenses of rebuilding snow plow		650.00
Public Welfare:		
Old Age Assistance	\$	123.87
Unclassified:		
Taxes bought by Town	\$	349.72
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region		16.23
Bank charges		2.33
Interest:		
Paid on temporary loan	\$	10.00
Indebtedness:		
Payment on temporary loan	\$	1,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
Special Poll Taxes at \$3.00 paid to state	\$	202.87
Taxes paid to County		331.05
Payments to School District		1,627.87
Total Payments	\$	8,862.53
Cash on hand December 31, 1945		3,469.10
Grand Total	\$	12,331.63

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Salaries of Principal Town Officers:

George A. Thayer, Selectman	\$	40.80
Paul D. Smith, Selectman		81.60
George D. Rowen, Selectman		88.80
Jennie J. Burnham, Treasurer		25.00
Charles A. Krahenbuhl, Town Clerk		25.00
Charles A. Krahenbuhl, Auto Permits		11.00
Harry Quance, Tax Collector		118.91
Nellie M. Ashley, Auditor		4.80
Winona B. Eastman, Auditor		4.80
Alfred E. Ashley, Moderator		4.80
James Carter, Supervisor		10.60
Ernest J. Hanley, Supervisor		9.60
Malcolm D. Merrill, Supervisor		9.60

Total	\$	435.31
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Officers' Expenses:

George A. Thayer, expenses	\$	1.00
Paul D. Smith, postage and expenses		18.24
George W. Rowen, expenses		1.00
Jennie J. Burnham, postage		2.00
Charles A. Krahenbuhl, postage and expenses		3.21
Harry Quance, postage and expenses		8.61
Harry Quance, expenses for Selectmen		20.14
Malcolm D. Merrill, expenses for Selectmen		31.28
The Colby Press, town reports and printing		52.97
Ayer Insurance Agency, Officers' bonds		25.00
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies		12.70
Registry of Deeds, transfers and fees		8.00
Association of N. H. Assessors, annual dues		2.00
N. H. Tax Collectors' Association, annual dues		2.00

Total	\$	188.15
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Expenses of Town Hall:

John Quimby, Janitor	\$	1.00
Carl M. Bowles, wood		15.00
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Total	\$	16.00

Health:

Charles A. Krahenbuhl, recording vital statistics	1.00
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Town Highways and Bridges:**General Expenses Paid by Selectmen:**

Insurance on tractor	\$	10.40
Canvas cover for tractor		64.79
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Total	\$	75.19

Overhauling Tractor:

White River Transfer & Storage Co.,	\$	125.35
Ernest J. Hanley, trucking tractor		15.00
Albert Kidder, trucking tractor		18.00
Ernest Carter, labor and mileage		12.15
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Total	\$	170.50

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. THAYER,

PAUL D. SMITH,

GEORGE W. ROWEN,

Selectmen of Dorchester

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

 Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 1,400.00
Class 5 Highways	1,073.10
Town Road Aid	10.01
Balance, March 12, 1945	3.94
Uncashed check of 1943	18.02

Total Receipts	\$2,505.07
Payments	2,476.31

Cash Balance, Dec. 31, 1945	28.76
Unexpended Balance in Treasury	600.00

Payments

Ernest Carter, labor and expenses	\$ 743.81
Harold D. Tibbetts, labor	202.25
George W. Rowen, labor	114.40
Edgar A. Eastman, labor	98.40
Paul D. Smith, labor	74.80
John Quimby, labor	61.60
Charles Carter, labor	61.35
James Carter, labor	59.20
Herbert J. Eastman, labor	57.90
Clyde Quimby, labor	54.00
Alfred E. Ashley, labor	33.60
Walter E. Buzzell, labor	30.30
Harry Quance, labor	28.80
Albert Authier, labor	17.50
Fred L. Goss, labor	14.60
Edgar C. Willey, labor	11.20
Elwin O. Clough, labor	8.70
Charles A. Krahenbuhl, labor	2.80
Ferdinand Wille, truck	93.00
Lucien M. Parris, truck	30.30
Albert Kidder, truck	7.00

Ernest J. Hanley, truck and team	\$ 46.50
Malcolm D. Merrill, tractor	79.80
Dorchester Farms, tractor and stringers	7.40
George N. Burnham, team	23.40
Laurence B. Foster, team	18.20
Custer B. Quimby, team and stringers	11.00
Adolph W. Delsart, team, plank and stringers	73.00
Asa C. Lary, plank	90.89
R. S. Yeaton, plank	22.50
Mascoma Valley Lumber Co., plank	11.43
H. Arthur Ashley, gravel and gas	13.35
Ben B. Foster, sharpening tools	6.25
Avery's Garage, welding etc.	9.53
Fuller's Auto Service, supplies	7.40
Paul Townsend, supplies	5.30
Wilder's Garage, supplies	5.00
White River Transfer & Storage Co., repairs	12.69
A. M. Rand Co., hardware	2.85
Ralph A. Miles hardware	1.20
N. H. Explosives Co., dynamite and caps	13.25
Socony Vacuum Oil Co., gas	111.14
Southwestern Petroleum Co., oil and grease	75.90
Town of Canaan, plowing snow	11.60
Pemigewasset National Bank, bank charges	11.06
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	\$ 2,476.31

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST CARTER, Road Agent

TOWN MAINTENANCE

January 1 to March 3, 1945

Receipts

Balance, January 1, 1945	\$	727.99
Town of Graton, snow bill		8.60

Total Receipts		736.59
Payments		732.65

Balance paid to Ernest Carter, Road Agent	\$	3.94
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Payments

Edgar C. Willey, labor, truck and expenses	\$	237.52
Edgar Lechance, labor		123.70
Lamant Authier, labor		62.10
Albert Authier, labor		19.65
Walter E. Buzzell, labor		36.00
Ernest Carter, labor		26.40
George W. Rowen, labor		24.90
Clyde Quimby, labor		21.90
John C. Davenport, labor		12.90
James Carter, labor		12.60
Malcolm D. Merrill, labor		10.80
Lawrence Ryea, labor		3.00
Paul D. Smith, labor		3.00
Herbert J. Eastman, labor		2.40
John Quimby, labor		2.10
Ernest J. Hanley, truck		17.00
Beli-Je's Tractor & Diesel Service, repairs on tractor		52.55
Clogston's Garage, battery and parts		23.45
Rumney Garage, parts		3.23
Herbert E. Page, welding		7.00
Avery's Garage, parts		5.00
Ben Foster, blacksmithing		5.45

Total Payments	\$	732.65
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TOWN ROAD AID]

Apportionment	State	Town	Total
	\$ 1,071.36	243.00	\$ 1,314.36
Payments	1,071.33	243.00	1,314.36

Payments

Ernest Carter, Foreman	\$	196.84
Harold D. Tibbetts, labor		150.80
Fred L. Goss "		108.00
George W. Rowen, "		105.20
Edgar A. Eastman, "		91.20
Harry Quance, "		72.40
John Quimby, "		63.20
Paul D. Smith, "		44.40
William E. Moses, "		28.00
Clyde Quimby, "		21.60
Herbert J Eastman, "		20.00
Forrest M Moses,		19.20
Lucien M. Parris, truck		246.90
Ferdinand Wille, truck		69.00
Mrs. Emma M. Proctor, gravel		65.66
Ben B. Foster, blacksmithing		1.95
Road Agent, gas and oil for tractor		10.01
Total Payments	\$	1,314.36

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST CARTER, Foreman

FOREST FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT

Wardens' Training Meeting at Groton:

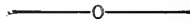
Harry Quance, Warden	\$	2.75
Harold Walker, Deputy		4.35
John H. Fairburn, Deputy		2.75
Paul D. Smith, Deputy		2.75
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Total	\$	12.60
Reimbursement from State		6.30
Town's Share	\$	6.30
Brass Knapsack Pump		5.75
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Total Expense to Town	\$	12.05

No permits will be issued to burn except on rainy days

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY QUANCE,

Fire Warden



REPORT OF RELIEF AGENT

Appropriation	\$	400.00
Payments		
Old Age Assistance, 1 case	\$	123.87
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Unexpended balance	\$	276.13

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE N. BURNHAM,

Relief Agent

TRUSTEES' REPORT

Lucy Hazen Kimball Fund for the care of the
Sanborn and Mehitable Blaisdell Lot:

Fund received and deposited March 1930	\$	66.23
Interest in Bank, Dec. 23, 1944		16.86
Interest from Dec. 23, 1944 to April 1, 1945		.52
Total interest in Bank	\$	17.38

No payment in 1945

Scott D. Burley Fund for care of his lot
in Cheever Cemetery:

Fund received and deposited Sept. 1940	\$	300.00
Interest in Bank, June 8, 1944	\$	16.29
Interest from June 8, 1944 to April 1, 1945		7.97
Total interest in Bank	\$	24.26

No payment in 1945

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL D. SMITH,
HARRY QUANCE,
ISAAC H. BURNHAM, Trustees

AUDITORS' REPORT

We the undersigned, having examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Road Agent, Town Clerk, Trustees and Relief Agent, find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

January 12, 1946.

NELLIE M. ASHLEY,
WINONA B. EASTMAN, Auditors

SCHOOL OFFICERS

DORCHESTER SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHOOL BOARD

Arlene M. Carter, Chairman

Frances E. Merrill

Phyllis B. Ashley

MODERATOR

Alfred E. Ashley

SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Annie G. Ashley

AUDITORS

Nellie M. Ashley

Winona B. Eastman

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Paul D. Smith

SECRETARY

Charles A. Krahenbuhl

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Arthur S. Rollins

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To The Dorchester School Board:

I herewith submit my third annual report as your superintendent of schools. If any school patrons desire specific or detailed information not found in this report they are cordially invited to ask me for it.

In these days of difficulty in securing competent teachers, Dorchester is fortunate that Miss Nellie Ashley retains the position she has successfully held for a long time.

The progress of your children is very satisfactory. Standard tests show that they accomplish expected results. The experience of those who have entered high schools from our eighth grade proves the soundness of their training. Since a regular testing program was adopted which enabled us to determine points of individual strength and weakness, most pupils have exceeded the normal school growth.

Transportation of pupils continues to be a matter of considerable worry and expense. However, with an easier situation in the tire market and plenty of gasoline steady improvement is not unreasonable to expect. School officials will be appreciative of willingness on the part of townspeople to accept transportation contracts for another year.

Your children are privileged to have as modern textbooks and as good materials of instruction as they would use if they attended city schools. It has cost a lot of money to bring our equipment to the present standard but it is a good investment in the future of the children. They are entitled to the best we can afford to give them. New geographies ought to be bought for use next year.

Cheever School has been made much more attractive by the repairs completed during the summer and fall. Neat and cheerful school environment does much to maintain pupil interest and profoundly influences attitudes towards both public and private property. Wholesome and attractive influences should surround children during their school days which are the formative period of their lives.

New window shades will be bought when price and availability are more favorable. Play space in the school yard could be greatly improved by a few loads of gravel to fill low and muddy spots where baseball is played.

Your superintendent appreciates the interest Dorchester people have in their school. The never failing spirit of friendliness and cooperation shown by the School Board has made it a pleasure to work with and for your children.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur S. Rollins

Superintendent of Schools

STATISTICS FOR 1944-1945

Cheever School	Nellie M. Ashley, Teacher, Grades 1-8		
Total Enrollment	24	No. half days of absence	589
Average membership	20.71	Av. absence per pupil	24.54
Per Cent of attendance	91.21		
Visits by Superintendent	21	Visits by School Board	2
Non-Resident Pupils	2		

1945-1946 ENROLLMENT

Cheever School	Nellie M. Ashley, Teacher		Grades 1-8
Grade 1	1	Grade 2	2
Grade 3	2	Grade 4	3
Grade 5	3	Grade 6	3
Grade 7	1	Grade 8	5
Totals		7	13
Grand Total		20	

1946-1947 DORCHESTER SCHOOL CALENDAR

Term Begins	Term Ends	No. Weeks	No. Days
Sept. 4, 1946	Dec. 20, 1946	16	73
Jan. 6, 1947	Feb. 21, 1947	7	35
March 3, 1947	April 23, 1947	8	37
May 5, 1947	June 13, 1947	6	29
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Expected days of no school: Sept. 12, Fair; Convention, 2 days; Thanksgiving, 2 days; Town Meeting; May 30.

BALANCE SHEET

Assets, June 30, 1945

Cash on hand		
Balance June 30, 1945	\$	358.80
Accounts due to District		
From Town, Balance of Appropriation		200.00
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Total Assets	\$	558.80
Grand Total	\$	558.80

Liabilities, June 30, 1945

Accounts owed by the District		none
Excess of assets over liabilities-Surplus	\$	558.80
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Grand Total	\$	558.80

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

From Whom	Source	Amount
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Town	School money	\$ 1,763.13
School Board	Sale of School House	25.00
Chase Grain Mill	Shingles returned	20.60
Town of Groton	Tuition	74.00
Town of Dorchester	Dog tax for 1944	69.74
Town of Dorchester	Dog tax	64.67
State of New Hamp.	State Aid Fund	1,154.04
Dorchester Grange	Sale of ice cream	7.20
School District	Cash on hand July 1, 1944	135.70
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Total Receipts for the Year		\$ 3,314.08

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1945

Summary

Cash on hand June 30, 1944	\$	135.70
Received from Selectmen, appros. for current year		1,213.13
Balance of previous appropriations		550.00
Dog tax		134.41
Received from State Treasurer, state aid		1,154.04
Received from all other sources		126.80
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Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	\$	3,314.08
Less School Board orders paid		2,955.28
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1945	\$	358.80

ANNIE G. ASHLEY, District Treasurer

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Dorchester, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945 and find them correct in all respects.

NELLIE M. ASHLEY
WINONA B. EASTMAN

June 29, 1945

Auditors

FINANCIAL REPORT

Receipts

State and Federal Aid

Equalization fund for elementary schools	\$	1,154.04
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Income from Local Taxation

For support of elementary schools	\$	781.25
Truant officer and school census		5.00
For payment of high school tuition		255.00
For the salaries of district officers		65.00
For administration		20.00
For Superintendent's excess salary		44.88
For payment of per capita tax		42.00
Balance of previous appropriation		550.00

Total	\$	1,763.13
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From Sources Other Than Taxation

Dog Licenses	\$	134.41
Elementary school tuition		74.00
Other receipts		52.80

Total	\$	261.21
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Total Receipts from all Sources	\$	3,178.38
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Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1944		135.70
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Grand Total	\$	3,314.08
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Payments**Administration**

Salaries of district officers	\$	62.80
Superintendent's excess salary		53.04
Truant officer and school census		5.00
Expenses of administration		66.38

Instruction

Teacher's salary	\$	1,052.89
Text books		45.71
Scholars supplies		26.99
Other expenses of instruction		29.09

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant

Janitor service	\$	47.75
Fuel		76.00
Water, light, janitor's supplies		26.81
Minor repairs and expenses		53.50

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities

Medical inspection	\$	64.85
Transportation of pupils		1,226.00
High school tuition		56.30
Other special activities		3.10

Fixed Charges

Tax for state wide supervision	\$	42.00
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Outlay for Construction and Equipment

New equipment	\$	17.07
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Total Payments for all purposes	\$	2,955.28
Total cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1945		358.80

Grand Total	\$	3,314.08
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SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1946-47

 School District of Rochester

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1946.

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools:

Teacher's salary	\$ 1,200.00
Text books	50.00
Scholars' supplies	30.00
Flags and appurtenances	5.00
Other Expenses of instruction	30.00
Janitor service	60.00
Fuel	85.00
Water, light, janitor's supplies	26.00
Minor repairs and expenses	60.00
Health supervision (Medical inspection)	70.00
Transportation of pupils	1,300.00
Other special activities	5.00
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	\$ 2,921.00

Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of District officers (fixed by district)	\$ 127.00
Tenant officer and school census	10.00
Payment of tuition in high schools	500.00
Superintendent's excess salary	58.00
Per Capita tax	48.00
Retirement assessment	46.00
Other obligations of the district	30.00
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	\$ 814.00

**Total Amount required to meet
School Board's Budget**

\$ 3,735.00

Estimated Income of District

Balance June 30, 1946 (estimate)	\$	250.00
State Aid (December 1946 allotment)		1,150.00
Dog tax (estimate)		85.00
Elementary school tuition (estimate)		74.00
Deduct total estimated income		
(not raised by taxation)	\$	1,559.00
Assessment required to balance		
School Board's Budget	\$	2,176.00

ARLENE M. CARTER,
 FRANCES E. MERRILL,
 PHYLLIS B. ASHLEY,
 School Board

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Auditors' Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Dorchester, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

NELLIE M. ASHLEY,
 WINONA B. EASTMAN,

June 30, 1945

Auditors

Births Registered in the Town of Dorchester, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1945

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Sex, Condition		Name of Father	Maiden Name Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birth-place of Father	Birth-place of Mother
			Male or Female	Living or Stillborn						
				No of Child			Color of Parents			
			Color							
Feb 17	Dorchester	Malcolm Dunbar M L	W	Malcolm D Merrill	Frances E Willey	W	Dorchester	Carpenter	Grantham NH	Meredith N I

Deaths Registered in the Town of Dorchester, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1945

Date	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age, Sex & Condition		Place of Birth	Occupation	Father	Mother	Birthplace of Parents	
			Years	Months						
			Days							Maiden Name of Mother
			Male, Female							
			Single, mar. wid.							
			Color - All White							
Dec. 2	Plymouth	Bertha Quimby	57	6	8	F	M	Dorchester	Housewife	Dorchester New Britain, Conn.
										John Parker
										Annie Wescott

CHARLES A. KRAHENBUHL, Town Clerk

